

**District of Columbia - Ward 5 Selected Social Characteristics**  
**Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates**

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>				
<b>Total households</b>	<b>29,340</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>29,340</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Family households (families)	13,734	661	46.8%	2.1
With own children under 18 years	5,420	558	18.5%	1.8
Married-couple family	5,516	474	18.8%	1.6
With own children under 18 years	2,047	329	7.0%	1.1
Male householder, no wife present, family	1,377	231	4.7%	0.8
With own children under 18 years	458	155	1.6%	0.5
Female householder, no husband present, family	6,841	556	23.3%	1.9
With own children under 18 years	2,915	396	9.9%	1.3
Nonfamily households	15,606	706	53.2%	2.1
Householder living alone	13,547	631	46.2%	2
65 years and over	4,008	321	13.7%	1.1
Households with one or more people under 18 years	7,119	547	24.3%	1.8
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	7,998	328	27.3%	1.3
Average household size	2.38	0.06	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.55	0.09	(X)	(X)
<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>				
<b>Population in households</b>	<b>69,702</b>	<b>1,950</b>	<b>69,702</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Householder	29,340	533	42.1%	1
Spouse	5,546	474	8.0%	0.7
Child	19,690	1,362	28.2%	1.5
Other relatives	9,770	1,004	14.0%	1.4
Nonrelatives	5,356	666	7.7%	0.9
Unmarried partner	1,435	247	2.1%	0.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>				
<b>Males 15 years and over</b>	<b>28,911</b>	<b>1,146</b>	<b>28,911</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Never married	15,974	1,025	55.3%	2.3
Now married, except separated	7,175	536	24.8%	1.8
Separated	1,015	245	3.5%	0.9
Widowed	1,161	213	4.0%	0.7
Divorced	3,586	416	12.4%	1.4
<b>Females 15 years and over</b>	<b>33,557</b>	<b>1,076</b>	<b>33,557</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Never married	16,418	1,039	48.9%	2
Now married, except separated	7,072	503	21.1%	1.6
Separated	1,289	244	3.8%	0.7
Widowed	4,965	434	14.8%	1.3
Divorced	3,813	388	11.4%	1.1
<b>FERTILITY</b>				
<b>Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	718	210	66.2%	12
Per 1,000 unmarried women	48	14	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	56	13	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	60	39	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	93	26	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	21	10	(X)	(X)
<b>GRANDPARENTS</b>				
<b>Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	<b>2,193</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>2,193</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Responsible for grandchildren	1,186	261	54.1%	7.3
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	106	71	4.8%	3.3
1 or 2 years	314	146	14.3%	5.9
3 or 4 years	148	86	6.7%	3.8

5 or more years	618	181	28.2%	7.1
<b>Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Who are female	962	213	81.1%	5.7
Who are married	612	210	51.6%	11.5
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>				
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>	<b>18,943</b>	<b>1,416</b>	<b>18,943</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Nursery school, preschool	647	198	3.4%	1
Kindergarten	777	221	4.1%	1.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	6,628	733	35.0%	2.9
High school (grades 9-12)	3,720	469	19.6%	2.5
College or graduate school	7,171	960	37.9%	3.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>				
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>	<b>51,087</b>	<b>1,344</b>	<b>51,087</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Less than 9th grade	3,358	465	6.6%	0.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	6,262	603	12.3%	1.1
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	14,257	908	27.9%	1.6
Some college, no degree	9,768	857	19.1%	1.6
Associate's degree	2,667	431	5.2%	0.8
Bachelor's degree	7,921	712	15.5%	1.3
Graduate or professional degree	6,854	562	13.4%	1.1
Percent high school graduate or higher	81.2%	1.3	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	28.9%	1.6	(X)	(X)
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>				
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>	<b>59,701</b>	<b>1,568</b>	<b>59,701</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Civilian veterans	5,275	622	8.8%	1
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>				
<b>Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>Under 18 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>18 to 64 years</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>65 years and over</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>(X)</b>
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
<b>RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO</b>				
<b>Population 1 year and over</b>	<b>73,812</b>	<b>2,156</b>	<b>73,812</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Same house	61,833	2,071	83.8%	1.5
Different house in the U.S.	11,689	1,190	15.8%	1.5
Same county	7,281	941	9.9%	1.2
Different county	4,408	742	6.0%	1
Same state	0	132	0.0%	0.1
Different state	4,408	742	6.0%	1
Abroad	290	127	0.4%	0.2
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>74,673</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>74,673</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Native	69,274	2,119	92.8%	1.1
Born in United States	68,825	2,136	92.2%	1.1
State of residence	38,620	1,674	51.7%	1.5
Different state	30,205	1,249	40.4%	1.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	449	163	0.6%	0.2
Foreign born	5,399	834	7.2%	1.1
<b>U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Naturalized U.S. citizen	1,661	325	30.8%	5.4

Not a U.S. citizen	3,738	713	69.2%	5.4
<b>YEAR OF ENTRY</b>				
<b>Population born outside the United States</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>(X)</b>
<b>Native</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Entered 2000 or later	14	23	3.1%	5.3
Entered before 2000	435	165	96.9%	5.3
<b>Foreign born</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Entered 2000 or later	1,898	644	35.2%	8.3
Entered before 2000	3,501	505	64.8%	8.3
<b>WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>				
<b>Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Europe	405	176	7.5%	3.2
Asia	307	115	5.7%	2.2
Africa	1,781	650	33.0%	9.3
Oceania	12	21	0.2%	0.4
Latin America	2,877	556	53.3%	8.8
Northern America	17	17	0.3%	0.3
<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>				
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>	<b>70,400</b>	<b>1,969</b>	<b>70,400</b>	<b>(X)</b>
English only	64,836	1,931	92.1%	1.1
Language other than English	5,564	761	7.9%	1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	2,025	434	2.9%	0.6
Spanish	3,471	574	4.9%	0.8
Speak English less than "very well"	1,531	376	2.2%	0.5
Other Indo-European languages	788	226	1.1%	0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	120	78	0.2%	0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	401	156	0.6%	0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	101	80	0.1%	0.1
Other languages	904	309	1.3%	0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	273	155	0.4%	0.2
<b>ANCESTRY</b>				
<b>Total population</b>	<b>74,673</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>74,673</b>	<b>(X)</b>
American	936	218	1.3%	0.3
Arab	244	147	0.3%	0.2
Czech	52	38	0.1%	0.1
Danish	5	10	0.0%	0.1
Dutch	222	128	0.3%	0.2
English	1,122	263	1.5%	0.4
French (except Basque)	276	95	0.4%	0.1
French Canadian	65	38	0.1%	0.1
German	1,938	379	2.6%	0.5
Greek	82	72	0.1%	0.1
Hungarian	75	55	0.1%	0.1
Irish	2,675	430	3.6%	0.6
Italian	1,071	227	1.4%	0.3
Lithuanian	8	15	0.0%	0.1
Norwegian	96	56	0.1%	0.1
Polish	567	208	0.8%	0.3
Portuguese	52	41	0.1%	0.1
Russian	351	215	0.5%	0.3
Scotch-Irish	182	97	0.2%	0.1
Scottish	231	99	0.3%	0.1
Slovak	18	21	0.0%	0.1
Subsaharan African	2,864	749	3.8%	1
Swedish	108	55	0.1%	0.1
Swiss	35	33	0.0%	0.1
Ukrainian	86	92	0.1%	0.1
Welsh	76	70	0.1%	0.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	1,369	401	1.8%	0.5

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

·Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

·The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008-2009 disability data and disability data collected in prior years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 5 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once five consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior years' disability questions, see Review of Changes to the Measurement of Disability in the 2008 ACS.

·Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

·While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

·Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols: